

**“Lazarus has died. And I am glad for you that I was not there,
that you may *believe*.” John 11:1-45**

When Jesus first learned that Lazarus was ill he said, “This illness will not end in death, but is for the glory of God.” The disciples were still learning about Jesus, and from him. They did not understand all that he did and said. But they **believed** in him. When Jesus announced he was going to Lazarus, the disciples knew he would have to pass near Jerusalem where the Jewish leaders were plotting to kill him. Thomas says, “Let us also go die with him.” He **believed** in Jesus **before** he fully understood him. When Jesus arrived at Bethany, Martha came out to greet him and lamented that he had not come sooner to save her brother. Before Jesus went to call Lazarus forth from the tomb, he asked Martha, “Do you **believe** in me?” She said, “Yes Lord, I **have come to believe** that you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one who is to come into the world.” She **believed** in Jesus **before** he fulfilled her desire. Do we **believe** in Jesus before we fully understand him, before he fulfills our desire? How do we demonstrate that **belief**?

(Bulletin Bites)

MASS INTENTIONS

For the Week of April 3, 2017 – April 9, 2017

Monday, April 3-

8:00A.M. - All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:
Parishioners of St. Ann, Bishop Warren L. Boudreaux, Orphan Souls, Souls in the Purgatory, Lorraine Danos, For Inactive Catholics at St. Ann.

Tuesday, April 4-

8:00A.M. - All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:
Parishioners of St. Ann, Rai & Thaddeus Pellegrin, Souls in the Purgatory, Forgotten Souls, For Peace and safety, For Anna & Thomas, Fr. Ty' s Ministries Rev. Pius Lartigue.

Wednesday, April 5-

8:00A.M. - All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:
Parishioners of St. Ann, Rev. Vincente DeLa Cruz (B), For Inactive Catholics at St. Ann, For Peace and Safety, For the sick in our parish, Special Intentions.

6:00 - 8:00P.M. - ADORATION & "The Light Is On For You" Fr. Ty will be in the Confession Room.

Thursday, April 6- First Thursday Adoration begins after the 8am Mass until 9:30am.

8:00A.M. - All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:
Parishioners of St. Ann, Jerry Tolleson, Renee Ward (B), Rose Authement, Gina Babin Pellegrin (DA), Rev. Guy Zeringue, Crutti Family, Ancestors, Fr. Ty's Ministries, For Souls in the Purgatory.

Friday, April 7-

5:00P.M. - Children's Way of the Cross

5:30P.M.- Way of the Cross followed by the Eucharistic Celebration

All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of: Parishioners of St. Ann, Jim & Connie Doll (WA), Living & Deceased Members of the Ladies Altar Society, Emsy Foret & Family, For the Souls in the Purgatory, Ancestors, Joan Crutti.

Saturday, April 8-

4:00P.M. - All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:

Parishioners of St. Ann, Laurelle Wolf, Wilbert, Elsie & Linda Hebert, Salome & Matthew Matherne, Wilbert Dupre Sr., Eldred & Maybelle Ellender, Carl Prosperie, Mable Gilmore, Jerry & Mathew Arceneaux, Eric, Joel & Frank Rogers, Bourg-Rogers Family, Beatrice Eschete, Keith Thibodeaux, Jacob LeCompte Sr, Kenneth, Paul & Josie Domangue, Ramona & Alton Malcom, Larry & Troy Foret, Carla Lyons, Nikie Hebert, Nicole Staffley, Johnny Adam Switch, Celeste, May, Rosevelt LeCompte, Jr. & Sr., Paul Chauvin, Mercedeze & Lloyd Duplantis, Miriam & Lanny Naquin, Russell Portier Sr, Raymond McKee, Holy Souls, Special Intentions,

Sunday, April 9- PALM SUNDAY

8:00A.M. - All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:

Parishioners of St. Ann, Clyde, Andrew Sr. & Edna Pitre, David Naquin Sr., Clyde, Elizabeth & Curtis Lirette, Elmer, Earline, Robert & Kevin Lirette, Keith Dupre, Lawrence & Eula Mazerac, Mary Eve & Wayne Bascle, Lionel Bascle Fly., Arthe' Breaux Family, Arthur Fabre, Mr. & Mrs. Bernard Fabre, Mr. & Mrs. Irby Petit, Aubrey Lee Boquet, Cindy Broussard, Paul & Eula Mae Rodrigue, Vin LeBlanc & Fly., Gilbert & Rita Bergeron & Fly., Gerald Schouest, Michael Falgout, Willard Scott, Mary Ellen Brunet Hebert, Edgar & Bernice Triche Family, Robert "Bobby" Yelverton, Douglas Chauvin, Boquet, Chauvin, LeCompte & Rhodes Families, Beatrice Eschete, For Inactive Catholics at St. Ann.

10:00A.M. - All Donors and Benefactors of St. Ann Church & in Memory of:

Parishioners of St. Ann, Joyce, Deborah, Celina & Herbert Belanger, Rosie & Richard Lafont, Lyle LeCompte & Fly., Mrs. Aubrey Broussard, Richard Martin, Anne Marie Smith, Wilma, John & Eugene Dusenbery, Ella Mae Guidry, Jesse Fanguy Sr., Ann Hebert, Veronica Trahan, Terry Lirette, Henry Klingman, Britt Domangue, Mary, Sterling Sr. & Sterling Authement Jr., Crutt Family, Rev. Brenda McMullen, Forgotten Souls, Special Intension, For Inactive Catholics at St. Ann, For Peace and Safety.

MEMORIALS FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 2nd

Sanctuary Light - Parishioners of St. Ann Parish, Living & Deceased

CLEANING LIST: April 2nd - Kathie Bascle, Betty Leonard, Johnnie Occhionero, Annabelle Trosclair

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

March 25 & 26, 2017 Collection: Envelopes: \$4,024.00 + Loose: \$330.00 = \$4,354.00

Maintenance Collection: \$1,491.50 + \$27.00 (This week) = \$1,518.50 March Total

Catholic Relief Collection : \$1,124.00

The Second Collection on the weekend of April 1st & 2nd is for Maintenance.

Thank you for your generosity!

EASTER QUOTA: The annual Easter Collection directly funds the diocesan Vocations & Permanent Deaconate Offices... Those offices foster discernment to all vocations: the priesthood, diaconate, religious life, consecrated single life... Bishop Fabre has decided that the Easter quota will be assessed at 122% of the average Sunday collection for the six months ended December 31, 2015. The Easter quota totals \$251,650 from all parishes. At this level there will be a shortfall in funding of \$469,242.

The quota for St. Ann Parish is \$6,025.00 for the Easter Collections this year.

CCD NEWS: Registration has started for the 2017-2018 School Year during scheduled class times or download the registration Forms at www.stannbourg.org and mail to the St. Ann CCD Office: 4355 Hwy. 24 Bourg, Louisiana 70343

** CCD Classes are as scheduled on Monday & Tuesday, April 3rd & 4th.

***The 8th Grade CCD Class is in charge of the Mass on Sunday, April 9th at 10am.

**** There will be a Way of the Cross every Friday starting March 3rd at 5PM (children's) and 5:30PM (adult). (Every student should attend at least 4.)

***** Please sign in so we'll know you were there.

KIDS NIGHTS- *Grades K-5th: 6 - 7:15pm - April 11th and April 18th*

YOUTH RETREATS!

* **Youth Rally** - April 8th - 12 noon to 10pm at Vanderbilt High School- for all 8th - 12th graders. \$50 fee. Registration forms in church on back shelves.

* **Steubenville on the Bayou** - June 16-18 - for all 8th - 12th graders. \$200 fee. Forms on back shelves of church.

* Any questions? Call or text Mrs. Lisa at 985-852-2007.

~*~ EASTER MEMORIALS ~*~

The St. Ann Ladies Altar Society are accepting Easter Memorials and donations at all weekend Masses on the weekends of April 1 & 2 and April 8 & 9. for the flowers in the Sanctuary on Easter Sunday. The cost for a memorial is \$20.00.

"THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU"

Wednesday, April 5, 2017 from 6 - 8pm

Every church in the Houma-Thibodaux Diocese is asked to offer the Sacrament of Reconciliation at the same day and time for everyone. Fr. Ty will be in the Confession Room from 6:00 - 8:00pm in St. Ann Church on Wednesday, April 5th.

KC COUNCIL #8932 BBQ CHICKEN DINNER

April 9th (Palm Sunday)

The KC will begin selling BBQ Dinner tickets at all weekend Masses. The meal will be: 1/2 a chicken, Bake Beans, Potato Salad, and bread for \$10.00 a plate. You can either eat in the Parish Center or take it with you. The pick up will be on the side of the Parish Center.

DATE CHANGE: The Meals for the Homebound will be delivered on Saturday, April 1st.

~~~ PALMS FOR PALM SUNDAY ~~~

St. Ann Church is need of palm branches for the Procession on Palm Sunday. Please bring your cut palms to the covered walkway between the Rectory and the Church on April 3rd & 4th. We will cut and bundle them on Thursday, April 6th after the 8am Mass.

~*~ EASTER SCHEDULE ~*~

April 13, 2017, Holy Thursday- Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00PM

Followed by Adoration in the St. Ann Parish Center until midnight.

April 14, 2017, Good Friday- Passion of the Lord: 3:00PM

Outside & Inside Way of the Cross

April 15, 2017, Holy Saturday: 8:00PM

April 16, 2017, Easter Sunday, The Resurrection of the Lord: 8:00AM & 10:00AM

EXODUS BIBLE STUDY

The April session of the Exodus Bible Study has been changed to Sunday, April 30, from 6:30 - 8pm.

CHRISM MASS

April 13, 2017 at 10:30am at the Cathedral of St. Francis de Sales, Houma

~~~~~ GRANT THEM ETERNAL REST ~~~~~

Remember those who have passed on into the Kingdom of Our Father.

~ Zoell Sue Ann Schwausch ~ Beatrice Perkins Eschete ~ Della Arcement Blanchard ~

We pray that their families may find comfort and consolation through faith.

MASSES	MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST	COMMENTATOR/ LECTOR	ALTAR SERVERS	USHERS
<u>April 1 & 2</u>				
SATURDAY				
4:00P.M.	Steve, Sue, Yvonne, Jenny	Randolph, Connie	Trenton, Hunter	Steve B, Dave, Ollie
SUNDAY	Dana, Jesse,			
8:00A.M.	Bert, Christine	Doug, Ken C	Lucas, Caleb	Jesse, Paula, Leward, Peggy
10:00A.M.	Gerald, Melody, Connie, Ivy	Courtney, Alaina	Alexander, Brianna, Zack, Bailey	Tores, Carol
<u>April 8 & 9</u>				
SATURDAY	Brian, Marianne,			
4:00P.M.	Adrian, June	Elia, Cheryl	Tyler, Mason	Steve H, Jan, Lane
SUNDAY	Cecil, Irma,			
8:00A.M.	Jenny, Ken C	Nick, David	Emily, Dylan	Doug, Numa, Claude
10:00A.M.	Leroy, Mindy, Debra L, Lisa	8th Grade CCD Class	Gavin, Kaylee, Cole, Peyton	8th Grade CCD Class